



Acknowledgement of Benefits for Student Interns

While engaged in student intern activities under the direction of Fairfax County, the student intern is considered to be a volunteer for Fairfax County. In that capacity, the student intern does have access to an insurance policy which provides the following benefits:

1. Accidental Injury - \$50,000 in medical benefits for injuries sustained arising out of the intern activities.
2. Personal Liability - \$1,000,000 for claims made against the intern as a result of the intern activities.
3. Automobile Liability - \$500,000 for claims made against the intern as a result of operating a motor vehicle while engaged in intern activities.

All of these coverages are excess of any personal insurance the intern might have in place. For example, if the intern has a group health policy, that policy would pay for any medical costs for the incident. The volunteer policy would cover any deductibles or co-payments required.

Should the intern not have a current medical policy or personal liability policy, the volunteer insurance will be primary and pay any claims up to the limit. The automobile liability policy will only be effective if the volunteer carries their own automobile liability insurance of at least the state minimum.

Any incidents which might occur must be reported as soon as practical to the student intern's supervisor. Any questions regarding coverages provided may be directed to the Insurance Manager of the Risk Management Division at 703-324-3040.

The student intern must be aware this insurance does not provide professional malpractice insurance coverage. Should a claim be brought against the student intern for professional malpractice, Fairfax County will neither defend nor indemnify the student intern. All legal costs and/or judgments will be the sole responsibility of the student intern. It is strongly recommended the student intern obtain their own professional malpractice insurance to protect themselves. Failure to obtain professional malpractice coverage is at the student intern's own peril.

I have read the above and fully understand it. I understand it is my obligation to obtain my own professional malpractice insurance coverage and that Fairfax County will, in no way, provide any defense or indemnification to me for professional medical malpractice should I fail to do so.

I also understand that the sole purpose of the work of interns is for the benefit of the interns, allowing them to complete their educational requirements. The CSB derives no immediate advantage from these activities. Interns do not displace regular employees, but work under close supervision of existing staff. Interns are not entitled to jobs at the conclusion of the internship, and the employer and the intern understand that the intern is not entitled to wages for the time spent in the internship.

Student Intern

Date

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